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| For: | USE OF ADHESIVE TAPE FOR |) 3653 |
| | HANDLING, TRANSPORTING AND |) |
| | STORING CAPILLARIES AND |) |
| | DISPENSER FOR INDIVIDUAL |) |
| | CAPILLARIES ON THAT ADHESIVE |) |
| | TAPE |) |

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Amendment

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

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This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed in the subject patent application on November 12th, 2003. Please amend this application as indicated below.